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GUARD OPENS CAMP TODAY

FOUR-DAY TRAINING PERIOD TO BEGIN FRIDAY.

Rifle and Pistol Practice and School Predominate.

Preliminary to the general training of the Michigan national guard at Grayling in August, officers and six men from each company of the guard will assemble at Hanson State Military Reservation today for four days of training, under the direction of Brigadier General Guy M. Wilson of Flint, commander of the 32nd division. The active program of the session will begin Friday.

The main training at this time will be in rifle and pistol practice and schools of instruction and lectures. All companies using rifles will be given intensive practice work in that line as well as team competition in shooting. The same is true with companies, batteries and troops using pistols. A number of trophies are offered to winning teams and much sharp rivalry is sure to exist.

The camp will consist of 125 officers and six men from each company, battery and troop, making in all about 250 men. The camp will be under direct command of Gen. Guy M. Wilson of Flint. Other officers to be present are as follows:

Adj. Gen. John S. Bersey.

Col. John S. Scoulen, Grand Rapids, 126th Inf.

Col. Milton L. Hinkley, Saginaw, 125th Inf.

Col. J. H. Lewis, Lansing, 119th field artillery.

Col. John Buck, Detroit, commander 127th medical corps.

Col. David E. Cleary, executive officer.

General's Staff Officers.

The staff officers of General Wilson are as follows:

Lt. Col. LeRoy Pearson, acting chief of staff, and quartermaster.

Lt. Col. John H. Stock, assistant.

Lt. Col. S. D. Pepper, judge advocate.

Lt. Col. O. H. Tower, finance officer.

Lt. Col. Glen B. Arnold, signal officer.

Maj. Geo. Kieber, acting division quartermaster.

Capt. F. C. Standaiford, adjutant.

Capt. Ray Cotton, quartermaster.

The troops will be divided up into provisional companies, under command of Lt. Col. Edgar Campbell of Manistee, and Lt. Col. Thos. Collyday of Flint. Those troops that do not participate in the practice of rifle or pistol shooting will attend schools of instruction and lectures, under direction of the above named officers, section of the above named officers, and of the regular army, who are as follow:

Maj. R. D. Cummings, cavalry.

Maj. John Moulton, signal corps.

Capt. Miles D. Seville, Infantry.

Capt. Willard Smith, Infantry.

Capt. John H. Eye, field artillery.

Capt. Spicer, Infantry.

Capt. Newton D. Bush, Infantry.

Capt. Cutler, field artillery.

Shooting Trophies.

A number of well known trophies will be shot for at the matches, some of which have been the property of the Michigan guard for many years.

The winning team owns the prize until the next regular contest when it goes to the next winner. Among these trophies are the following:

Grand Rapids Press cup, originally donated for the 32nd. infantry.

Veterans trophy, originally donated to the old Michigan 31st, infantry.

Fordney cup, known as the old Michigan 33rd. trophy.

Chalmers cup.

Pickett cup.

Wagner-Wimbleton cup; 1,000 yard range.

This is the first time these trophies have been competed for since the war, and it is claimed that there will be an unusual lot of rivalry between the shooting teams. The competing teams are made up of the six best marksmen selected from among each company, battery and troop.

During the four days of which the troops are to be in camp there will be conducted a school for instruction on administration, recruiting, and advanced instruction on the program that is to be rendered during the August training camp. There will be schools for the different staff officers.

August Camp.

The August camp will begin on the 7th and last to the 26th. It is stated at military headquarters that there will be more than 4,000 men in camp, and possibly 4,500.

The first organizations to arrive will be the cavalry troops and 119th field artillery. These will arrive August 7th and remain 15 days. August 9th the infantry, medical and divisional troops will arrive and remain 15 days. On August 12th, Colonel Pickett's 182nd field artillery, the million dollar outfit, of Detroit, will arrive and remain until the 26th.

Indications are that this year's camp will be larger than that of last year.

Improvements Made At Reservation.

A number of fine improvements have been made within the reservation. Forty acres have been cleared and added to the parade grounds. Also a new 100 foot steel garage, and a large, new oil station for military purposes have been constructed.

Further improvements contemplated this year will be the construction of a mile of gravel highway as a part of the road system of the camp.

FARM BUREAU NOTES

R. D. BAILEY
County Agricultural Agent

A GOOD CHANCE YET.

There is still time to sow alfalfa and to plant soy beans if quick action is taken.

Alfalfa.

The State Farm Bureau puts up alfalfa seed in bushel (60 pounds), half bushel (30 pounds), and quarter bushel (15 pounds) bags.

Alfalfa is the best hay ever grown. You cut it twice a year. Its feed value is better than that of clover as the number 11 is larger than 7. Many farms in this county could grow alfalfa where they are not growing it now. Why wait and wait?

Why not fix up even two acres good with acid phosphate, and let the County agent get you enough alfalfa seed to sow it? An alfalfa meadow lasts years longer than a clover meadow.

Corn and potatoes are planted now, so there will be time to sow two acres of alfalfa. Try it. Why let the other fellow have all the good things?

Cows do better on alfalfa than on any other hay. Why not make a move forward? No one will thank you for staying in an unprofitable rut all your life.

Soy Beans.

Those who read Farm papers must have noticed that soy beans are rapidly growing in popularity. They are a legume like alfalfa, clover, sweet clover, vetch. They make quick hay. You can put them in now and harvest lots of good soy bean hay this fall. They are great for cows. Seed need not cost over two dollars an acre.

You see him right away, the County agent can get soy bean seed here in a few days, in time to still sow or plant. Don't fail to put in two acres of alfalfa and four or five acres of soy beans just because you have never done it before. Move forward.

Fodder Corn.

Are you absolutely sure that you have planted all the corn your farm can stand—all your stock can use this winter? Every farm in the county should have 12 to 15 acres of corn, then keep enough cows to eat it this winter. Then you will have cows enough to bring in money enough to make you feel better satisfied with life. A farmer, who has still time to plant more, fodder corn. He claimed that jealousy, envy, worry and self depreciation are the result of fear. Perfect love and perfect good will cast out fear. With those as keynotes of our lives we can see anything. And ignorance too causes in a large measure fear and superstition and misunderstanding. Knowledge and understanding banishes all false ideas and fears.

Until the nations of this earth said the speaker, can have good will among them, we will never have peace. Dr. Convis illustrated his remarks with facts that he had learned during his travels and by close observation.

He assured the class that the whole world of opportunity lay before them and it was for them to choose which pathway they are to tread in the future.

He made his lecture very interesting with humor that had a direct bearing upon the subject, and kept the interest of his large audience in close attention.

Class Receives Diplomas.

Following the address of Dr. Convis diplomas were awarded the graduates by Capt. B. E. Smith, who said to them the following:

Members of the Class of 1924:

Four years ago you and I entered this High School and as you have progressed from freshman to senior, I have watched your work with a great deal of pleasure.

Now we are about to present to you a passport to the world which lies beyond the high school portals and where great opportunities and possibilities await you.

As you go I would leave one thought with you; have a purpose in life.

Unless you are inspired by a great purpose, a resolute determination to make your life count, you will not make much of an impression upon the world about you. The difference in quantity and quality of success is largely one of ambition and determination.

If you lack these you must cultivate them vigorously, persistently. I have never known anyone to amount to much who did not have an ambition to make a place for himself in the world and who did not keep his purpose alive by constant struggle to reach his goal. The moment ambition sags we lose the force that propels us; and once our propelling power is gone we drift with the tide of circumstances.

On behalf of the Board of Education and faculty I take great pleasure in presenting to you your diplomas and with it go our best wishes.

Other numbers on the program of the evening were, Marche Militaire, by Schubert, played by the High school orchestra, and invocation and benediction by Rev. Baughn.

LEN W. FEIGHNER
President Michigan Press Association and Editor Nashville News.

THE SUNSHINE MISSION.

Meetings are going on as usual and will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harder again next Sunday, June 22d.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Our class was larger on Sunday than ever. Morning service after Sunday school, and evening service at 7 p. m. Everybody welcome. We had a blessed time on Sunday, June 15, and look for greater ones for next Sunday. We expect to have Brother L. D. Kirby with us again on Sunday, June 22d.

Special offer of 100 beautifully engraved visiting cards \$4.50 value, for \$1.80. This offer lasts to Saturday forenoon, June 28th. After that the price is \$4.50. This is to ladies only. These are not cheap goods at a cheap price but are genuinely beautiful.

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, JUNE 19, 1924

Welcome, Michigan Press

Your have honored our little city by holding one of your conventions here; our citizens are keenly appreciative of this fine compliment. We trust your gathering will be pleasant and profitable. Your welcome is most cordial and every service and every entertainment our city affords are at your command.

Yours for a big time,
CITIZENS OF GRAYLING

AN ADVENTURE IN HAPPINESS

LEWIS A. CONVIS GIVES FINE ADDRESS TO GRADUATES.

"An adventure in happiness" was the theme of the address given by Lewis A. Convis, of Chicago before the commencement class and citizens at the school auditorium Thursday night of last week.

Dr. Convis has travelled extensively through Russia, China, Japan and other oriental countries and interwove some of the things he had learned in those countries into his talk.

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worry and self depreciation are the result of fear. Perfect love and perfect good will cast out fear. With those as keynotes of our lives we can see anything. And ignorance too causes in a large measure fear and superstition and misunderstanding. Knowledge and understanding banishes all false ideas and fears.

Julia Ann Welfare.

At the Crawford County Health Center Saturday the new baby doll was christened in the name of "Neutrality Humanity" and consecrated to the welfare of babyhood and education of the future mothers of Crawford County.

Her name is Julia Ann Welfare, after Julia Lathrop, first head of the Child Welfare Bureau, Washington, and Ann Stephens who is present head of the National Organization of Public Health Nursing and formerly organizer of the Maternity Center Ass'n of N. Y. C.

It is to be hoped that Julia Ann may be true to her name.

Gifts received at the party will be used to buy goods for the little mothers to learn to make her clothes.

ROBT. GILLETT AND WIFE IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillett of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Stegall and daughter Miss Helen of Bay City were in an auto wreck Sunday afternoon in which all suffered painful, but not necessarily serious injuries. Each suffered painful cuts and bruises, and were badly shaken up. One of the occupants of the car that struck the Gillett car, Louis Loza of Lansing, also was severely injured.

The accident occurred when the Lansing machine took to the wrong side of the road in order to pass some other machines. Mr. Gillett was approaching from the opposite direction and the machine in which Loza was riding crashed into him head on. Both cars were badly wrecked, and parties who were passing took the six injured persons to Mercy hospital in Bay City.

It is claimed that the Lansing car was being driven at a reckless rate of speed, the driver of which is responsible for the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillett are expected home soon, but it will no doubt be some time before either fully recovers from their injuries.

WESTERN STATE NORMAL TO HAVE NEW GYMNASIUM.

With completion of the new library building, ground is being broken on the Western State Normal campus at Kalamazoo this week for a \$228,000 men's gymnasium.

The contract has been awarded by the State Administrative Board and construction will be rushed to have the building ready for use by the first of January. Plans prepared by State Architect Lynn W. Frye in collaboration with the Normal coaches make the gymnasium one of the most complete in the middlewest. It will be the finest Normal college gym in the country, President Dwight B. Waldo announces.

Besides its large playing floor, the gymnasium will include offices, classrooms, an outdoor sports room with dirt floor, a hand ball room, boxing and wrestling facilities, a 14-lap track, an apparatus room, and varsity and visiting team rooms. The seating capacity will be about 3,000. With the men's gymnasium in use the present gym will be used exclusively by the co-eds.

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THE AVALANCHE.

CONCERT COMPANY FRIDAY NIGHT

DeMOSS FAMILY ENTERTAINERS AT SCHOOL AUDITORIUM.

The famous DeMoss family of entertainers will give one of their popular concerts at the school auditorium, Friday night, June 20th.

This musical organization has been giving concerts all over the country for the past fifty years and are recognized as one of the best. Besides

they have travelled and given concerts in Canada, Great Britain, Germany, Belgium, France, Switzerland and Mexico.

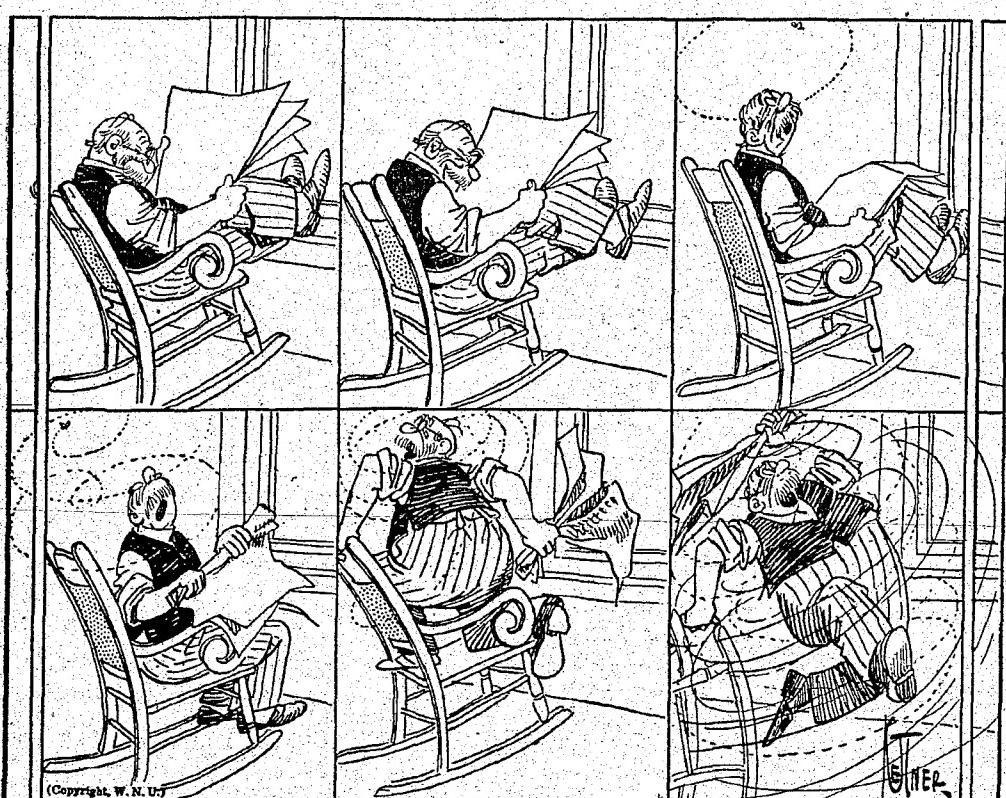
Music, Song and Story.

Their entertainment consists of vocal and instrumental music, and reader. The DeMoss Family has given more entertainments, entertained more thousands of people, travelled more years and in more countries than any other musical family in the world.

As song writers and musicians they were at Chicago Exposition as the Official Choir (1893) for six months; Omaha Exposition (1899) six months; St. Louis Exposition (1904), three months; Portland Exposition (1905) four months; and at San Francisco Exposition (1915), three weeks, employed by the officials, entertaining the vast multitudes daily. They have appeared in the largest churches, auditoriums and music halls in the great cities as well as the smaller ones entertaining the thousands, until their name has become a household word in many lands.

OUR COMIC SECTION

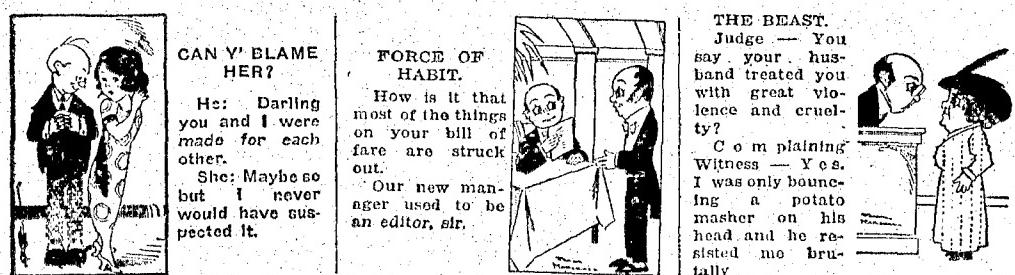
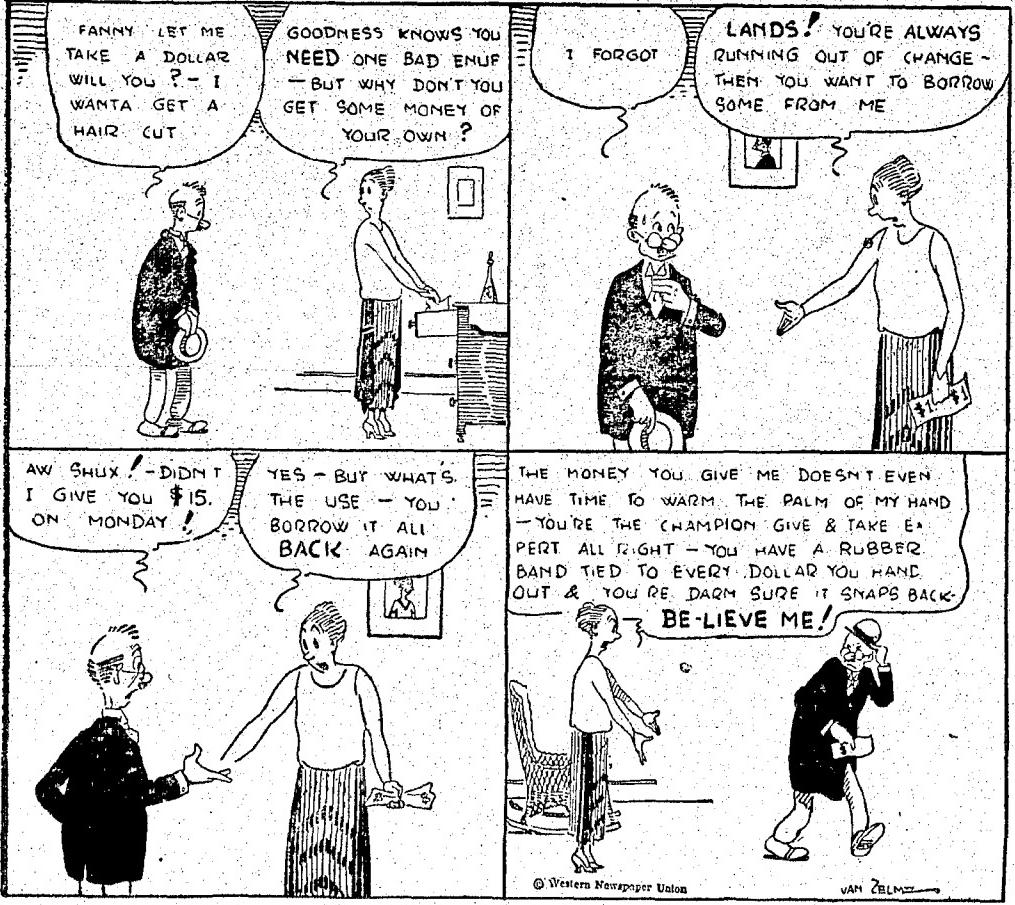
Our Pet Peeve



Better Start on Mickie



But Felix Thinks He's Generous



THINGS UNUSUAL

By T. T. MAXEY

CHICAGO'S UNDERGROUND RAILROAD

The main retail and skyscraper district of Chicago is jammed into what has been aptly termed the dreaded "mile square" and known as "The Loop." The traffic congestion which naturally resulted and steadily grows worse as business increases, produces myriads of vexatious delays which result in costs beyond computation; numerous mishaps and the unnecessary use of countless swear words.

In so large a city, the incessant traffic necessary to move supplies from rail depots to stores and factories, shipments from salesrooms and factories to freight terminals, mail, coal to boiler rooms, ashes and excavated material for new buildings to dumps, etc., reaches a startling magnitude and becomes an increasingly serious problem—the corner of State and Madison streets, for instance, is said to be the busiest corner in the world.

To relieve the congestion and cut down the delay, a far-sighted corporation constructed an intricate system of underground tunnels through which a railroad operates. Now much of this traffic is economically, quickly and conveniently trundled through this underground artery of commerce—during a recent year about 811,000 tons of freight, 58,000 tons of coal and 219,000 wagonloads of excavated material and cinders.

Six feet wide and 7½ feet high, and surrounded by a 12-inch wall of solid concrete, these tunnels are from 42 to 45 feet below the street surface. The method of construction left no chance for cave-ins or settling and has not interfered with the foundations of buildings. There is little water seepage, the average temperature is 55 degrees, winter and summer, and the frequent passage of trains provides a natural and adequate ventilation.

There are 62 miles of these horse-shoe-shaped tunnels, in which there are 140 crossings, 652 intersections, and 1,254 switches. The equipment includes 132 electric motors and 3,000 cars, each 4 feet wide, 12 feet long, and holding from 1 to 6 tons, depending on the nature of the load. The track gauge is 2 feet. The tunnel and its equipment represents an investment of about \$40,000,000. The operation requires about 570 people.

Train movements are controlled by telephone—a system of signals operating to avoid collisions at street intersections. In case of fire, a deluge of water is prevented by heavy tight-fitting iron doors over all shafts leading to the tunnel.

There are connections with universal freight-receiving stations, railroad depots, freight terminals, business houses, office buildings, etc.

THE WORLD'S LARGEST BUILDING

That sounds big and it is big America, today, grows and moves with such rapid strides—progress being the order of the day—that the largest of anything of its particular kind does not so remain very long. In 1922, the General Motors building in Detroit was the largest building in the world. In 1923 the honor was transferred to Chicago.

The so-called Furniture Mart, that substantial-looking structure which rises on the shore of Lake Michigan north of the mouth of the Chicago river, has the distinction of being the largest building in the world.

This building is sixteen stories tall and covers an entire block of ground; 240 feet one way and 467 feet the other way. The combined area of its 16 floors makes the astounding total of 1,250,000 feet, or upward of 28 acres, while the cubical capacity of this monstrous project mounts to the unbelievable total of 20,000,000 cubic feet. Think of it!

Then get this! Three trainloads or 6,800 piling were used for foundation purposes. Three million feet of lumber were used in connection with the concrete work. Other materials of construction included such items as 80,000 barrels of cement; 40,000 cubic yards or wagons loads of gravel; 4,500,000 common brick and 700,000 face brick; 5,500 tons of reinforced steel; miles and miles of piping for water and heating purposes and miles and miles of wiring for electric lighting and other purposes, and 400,000 square yards of plastering.

The exterior finish of this colossal building is of the so-called Gothic treatment, the material being dark-gray brick with terra cotta trimmings. The top story contains a restaurant which seats 750 diners at one time.

The bulk weight of the building is estimated to be 325,000,000 pounds. The estimated cost of the ground and building was placed at \$10,000,000.

The Furniture Mart is an addition extraordinary to Chicago's many remarkable buildings and its wonderful business enterprise.

A Thing Well Done

Whether they work be fine or coarse, planting corn or writing epics, so only it be honest work, done to thine own approbation, it shall earn a reward to the senses as well as to the thought; no matter how often defeated, you are born to victory. The reward of a thing well done is to have done it—Emerson.

Shoddy Woolen Goods

Shoddy is the name generally applied to a low grade of woolen cloth. Old woolen clothes, which are collected by ragmen, are "deviled" or unraveled by machinery, mixed with good wool and made into shoddy.

Made Its Own Name

The deadly insect fly of the jungles is said to have been given its double name from the short, sharp sound which it makes twice in quick succession.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

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A TREE KANGAROO

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THE AMERICAN LEGION

PRIZE-WINNER AS YOUNGEST MEMBER

The American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Delaware, offered a birthday cake to the youngest member of the organization. The cake was won hands down by the young lady whose photograph is reproduced. She is Elizabeth Louise Neely, and arrived only six months ago for permanent visit to her parents. She is a member of Delaware Post No. 1. While Elizabeth did not eat any of the huge cake that was ornamented with only one-half of a candle, she was the guest of honor at the card party also given in her honor by the auxiliary unit to the unit of the Laurence Robert post of the American Legion, and did not trump anybody's ace which made her as popular as the prince of Wales.

The auxiliary has many claimants to "youngest members." While it is certain that in Delaware little Miss Neely is the "champ," her record is surpassed in several instances.

In Granville, N. M., as soon as a name was given to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mills, she became a member of the Granville unit of the auxiliary. Incidentally this ar-

Far away in Australia lived this Tree Kangaroo and life to him was very pleasant.

He was very handsome. His coat was of thick, long fur and the color of it was brownish-yellow. His whisker coat was of white though he wore a front belt of a pale yellow shade.

His face was black though across his forehead he had grayish band and his ears were black on the outside and yellow inside.

His legs were of a yellow shade—yellow stockings he would have said he wore—and his paws were black.

His tail was as long as his body and his body was of good size.

The children of the family dressed like the ladies of the family in grayish suits, which were simple and pretty.

"The daytime," said the Tree Kangaroo, "is for sleeping and eating."

"Sometime a fly or many flies will disturb my sleep and I have to kill them to have peace and rest."

"I give them good hard blows, too."

"But I like to sleep during the day and my place for sleeping is in a tree."

"That is why I am called a Tree Kangaroo. I am devoted to trees."

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THE HIGHGRADER

By WM. MacLEOD RAINIE

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THE PRISONER

SYNOPSIS.—Words that their mighty, silent and dismalful to all but a few of "high-toned Britishers" recently arrived at the Lodge, among them an army captain and his sister of the same name as himself, is brought to Jack Kilmeny (known to his intimates as "Crumb") and some others camping out in the Gold in Colorado. He has to account for the uproar by Dobys Verinder, snobbish millionaire member of the British party. Jack snubs that individual and has a friendly chat with Moya, Dwight, attractive Irish girl. Jack has no use for his British relatives. While the British Kilmeny again meets Miss Dwight, and by her is introduced to the other members of the party, chief of whom are Lord and Lady Farquhar, as "Mr. Crumb." Jack is immensely impressed by the love interest between the two young men of Moya. Next day, in Gunnison, the Farquhar party sees "Mr. Crumb" win the bucking broncho championship. He disappears after the contest.

CHAPTER III—Continued

The link man with the rifle on his saddle bow laughed grimly. "Yes, he is—not. His name is Kilmeny. I'm the sheriff of Gunnison county—and I want him bad."

"Did you say Kilmeny?" asked the captain sharply.

"That's what I said—the man that won the broncho-busting contest today."

To Moya, looking around upon the little group of armed men, there was a menacing tenseness in their manner. Her mind was groping for an explanation, but she understood this much—that the law was reaching out for the devil-may-care youth who had so interested her.

"What do you want with him? What has he done?" she cried quickly.

"He and his friend hold in the gatekeeper of the fair association and got away with three thousand dollars. How long since they passed?"

"Between a quarter and half an hour," answered Farquhar.

The sheriff nodded. "All ready, boys."

The clattering hoofs disappeared in a cloud of dust down the road.

The rough places of life had been paddled for all these young women. Never before had they come so close to its raw, ugly seems. The shadow of the law, the sacredness of caste, had always guarded them.

India turned upon her brother big-dilated eyes. "He said Kilmeny. Who can the man be?"

"I don't know." He was silent a moment in frowning thought, struck by an unwelcome idea. "You remember Uncle Archie. He had a son named Jack who lives somewhere in Colorado. D'ye remember he came home when you were a little kid? Stopped at granddad's. Thought I had seen his face before. He's our cousin Jack. That's who he is."

"And now he's a highwayman. By Jove, he doesn't look it," contributed Farquhar.

"I don't believe it. Such nonsense!" flamed Moya. "There must be a mistake."

"He was troubled about something, Moya," Lord Farquhar suggested. "He and his friend were riding fast and plainly in a hurry."

" Didn't he stop to talk?"

"He had to do that to avoid suspicion. I could see his mind wasn't up what he was saying. The man was anxious."

"I thought you liked him," Moya charged sharply.

Her guardian smiled. "I did, but that isn't evidence that will acquit him in court of being a road agent."

"He's India's cousin—maybe. How could he be a criminal? Shall we have to cut her and Captain Kilmeny now?" Miss Dwight demanded hotly.

The captain laughed, but there was no mirth in his laughter. "You're a stanch friend, Miss Dwight. By Jove, I hope you're right about him."

Deep in her heart Moya was not at all sure. What did she know of him? And why should she care what he was? The man was a stranger to her. Forty-eight hours ago she had never seen him. Why was it that every good-looking verambond—with a dash of the devil in him drew on her sympathy? She recalled now that he had testimented when she had mentioned his name, not doubt making up his mind to let her think him other than he was. The sheriff must know what he was talking about when he said the man was an outlaw. But the appearance of him pleaded potency. Surely those clear, unflinching eyes were not the homes of villainy. Nor could she find it possible to think his gallant grace of bearing the possession of a miscreant.

Before the day was out her faith in him had sunk to zero. Captain Kilmeny returned from the camp of the miners with the detailed story of the holdup.

Two masked men on horseback had robbed the treasurer of the Gunnison County Fair association as he was driving to the bank to deposit the receipts of the day. The men had not been recognized, but the description of the horses corresponded closely to those ridden by Kilmeny and Colter. It was recalled that these two men had disappeared as soon as the bucking bronco contest was over, not half an hour before the robbery. This would allow them just time to return to the corral on the outskirts of the town, where they had left their mounts, and to saddle so as to meet the treasurer on his way to the bank. It happened that the corral was deserted at the time, the boy in charge

having left to see the trials of the contest. Cumulative evidence of guilt lay in the disappearance from the fishing camp not only of the two men suspected, but also of their companions, Curly and Mosby.

"I think he really did it, Ned?" India asked her brother.

"Can't you say, sis. Looks like it," he answered gloomily.

Of the party at the Lodge only one member was pleased at the turn events had taken. Verinder's manner was as openly triumphant as he dared allow it to become. It cried offensively. "I told you so!"

CHAPTER IV

"I'm Here, Neighbor."

Moya still rode afternoons with her friends, fished occasionally, and took her regular round at bridge. But it was unaccountably true that her zest in these amusements was gone. She could give no satisfactory reason for it, but she felt as if something had passed out of her life forever. It was as if the bubbling youth in her were quenched. The outstanding note of her had been the eagerness with which she had run out to meet new experiences. Now she found herself shrinking from them. Whenever she could the girl was glad to slip away by herself. To the charge that she was in love with this young vagabond she would have given a prompt denial. Nevertheless, Lady Farquhar recognized the symptoms as dangerous.

On the fifth day after the Gunnison trip the young people at the Lodge made a party to fish Sunbeam creek. They followed the stream far into the hills, riding along the trail which bordered it. Kilmeny and Verinder carried lunch baskets, for they were to make a day of it and return only in time for a late dinner.

Moya made her brave pretense of gayety. With alacrity she responded to Verinder's challenge of a bet on the relative sizes of their catches.

"What she had heard against him she told. "The robbers were riding horses like yours. You left the fair grounds early. When you passed us on the road you were anxious about something. You looked back two or three times. Both you and Mr. Colter showed you were in a hurry. Then you ran away before the sheriff reached your camp. You are an innocent man do that?" She put her question as an accusation, but the voice was a little tremble that asked to be refuted.

"Sometimes he does. Now listen to me. The horses ridden by the robbers were Colter's and mine. We certainly were worried about the time we met you. And we did break camp in a hurry so as to miss the sheriff. Does this prove me guilty?"

She brushed away the soft waves of dark hair that had fallen over her forehead in little escaping tendrils. The fearless level eyes of the outdoors woman were looking straight at her.

"I don't know. Does it?"

"We'll say this evidence had piled up against Captain Kilmeny instead of against me. Would you have believed him guilty?"

"No. He couldn't have done it."

"On the same evidence you would acquit him and condemn me. Is that fair?"

"I have known him for years—his standards, his ways of thinking. All his life he has schooled himself to run a straight course."

"Whereas I—" He waited, the sardonically frosty smile on his lean strong face.

Moya knew that the flutter of her pulses was telling tales in the pink of her cheeks. "I don't know you."

"I'm only a workingman, and an American at that—so it follows that I must be a criminal," he answered with a touch of bitterness.

"No! No! But you're—different. There's something untamed about you; I don't quite know how to put it—as if you had been brought up without restraints, as if you didn't care much for law."

"Why should I? Law is a weapon to bolster up the rich and keep down the poor," he flung back with an acid smile. "But there's law and law. Even in our class we have our standards, such as they are."

"Now it's you that isn't fair," she told him quietly. "You know I meant nothing like that. The point is that I don't know what your standards are. Law doesn't mean so much to people here. Your blood runs freer, less evenly than ours. You don't let the conventions hamper you."

"The convention of honesty, for instance. Thanks, Miss Dwight."

"I didn't want to believe it, but—The penitence in her vivid face

had scarcely disappeared around a bend in the gulch before a sound started her. Moya turned quickly to see a man drop down the face of a large rock to the ground. Even before he turned she recognized that pantherine grace and her heart lost a beat.

He came straight toward her, with the smile in his blue eyes that claimed comradeship as a matter-of-course.

"You—he," she gasped.

"I'm here, neighbor. Where ought I to be—in Rout county losing myself?"

Her little hand was lost in his big brown fist, her gaze locked in his.

"You heard him?"

"Couldn't help it. I was working down through that grove of pines to the river when I saw him."

"He may come back."

"I reckon not. Let's sit down and talk."

Her first thought had been of his danger, but she remembered something else now. "No, I think not, Mr. Kilmeny."

The deep eyes that met his steadily bad in them the riper flush. He smiled.

"Because I am a miscreant, I reckon," he drawled.

"You say, it, not I."

"Now you're dodging, neighbor. You think it?"

"If so, do I think more than the truth? Your actions convict you."

"So you think. Isn't it just possible you don't understand them?" There was the faintest hint of derision in his polite inquiry.

A light flashed in her dusky eyes, a shining hope newborn in her eager heart. "Are you telling me that you are innocent?"

"You've been thinking me guilty, then," he countered swiftly.

"What else could I think?"

It is said it was an Egyptian woman who first slipped the wedding ring from the second to the third finger of her left hand because she believed an artery located there led directly to the heart. Beautiful hair has always been coveted. The headresses of the daughters of rich soldiers, physicians and others were more varied than those of today. Linen was the favorite dress material of these people for centuries, wool being considered unclean.

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pleaded for her. He could not refuse the outstretched hand of this slender lince-straight girl whose sweet vitality was at once so delicate and so gallant. Reluctantly his palm met hers. "You're quite sure now that I didn't do it?"

"Quite sure."

"Even though I'm wild and lowless?"

"Aren't you?" she flashed back with a smile that took from the words any sting they might otherwise have had.

Mirth overflowed in his eyes, from which now many little creases radiated. "You're a good one, neighbor. But since you will have it, I am. I reckon my standards even to honesty wouldn't square with yours. I live in a rough mining camp where questions have two sides. It's up to me to play the game the way the other fellow plays it. But we'll not go into that."

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LEARN LESSON FROM DEMOCRATS.

The Republicans of Michigan and the whole United States need to take a lesson from the Democrats. We do not recommend that they adopt free trade, free silver, the League of Nations or any of the great national policies of Democracy, past or present. What we do recommend, however, is that same unity of purpose, loyalty to leaders, resourcefulness of methods, and party fidelity, both state and national, as characterizes the Democrats in congress and in the main marked their state convention in Michigan.

The Republicans of Michigan are afraid to come out openly for a legal pre-primary. The Democrats held one of their own at Flint and put in nomination for U. S. senator Dean Cooley of Michigan University, than whom no stronger man could have been found in the party. In this case too the office sought the man. They picked Edward Frensdorff of Hudson for governor, and probably he, too, is their strongest possible nominee. Both will be endorsed in September unanimously. Did the Republicans do anything of this kind? They did not. And when the modification of the primary was proposed, it met with opposition from the floor of the convention.

Republicans of Michigan, isn't it time you wake up? In almost every community in the state our Democratic friends pick their candidates in advance, nominate them and often, even in a strong Republican district, elect them. Our Democratic friends are not scared or stampeded by the cry of machine politics, or Czar dictation. They stand loyally by their nominees and their party and as a result they usually get the strongest and best men as nominees.

If Republicans would do this, they would not be in the disorganized condition they are both in the state and nation today. Who will be nominated for U. S. senator? Will he be a strong, clean man who believes in and stands by the Republican platform and the Republican party, or will he be a weak sister, marked from the beginning for defeat? Will he be a man who believes in and will stand by President Coolidge, or will he be a man without standing in his own party?

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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCauley have been spending the past week visiting relatives in Standish.

Miss Janice Bailey visited relatives in Gaylord over the week end.

Mrs. Dan Hoelsl is visiting her sister, Mrs. Weaver of Johannesburg. Thomas L. Wakeley and family have moved back onto their farm east of town. They had resided at or near Newberry for the past four years. Mr. Wakeley was employed as a coast guard.

Mr. Maher of Flint, who conducts the Maher dancing academy and Arcaid in that city is conducting dances at Idlewild resort, Prudenville, this season. Dancing every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday.

James Richardson, who graduated with the class of 1924 of Grayling school was the first of South Branch township to graduate. Let us hope there will be more from this fine community in the early future.

Emil Giegling enjoyed a short visit from his father Henry Giegling, who was enroute to his home in Manistee from Detroit. Emil motored over to Manistee the latter part of the week accompanying his father home.

Among those who are attending the Danish-Lutheran church convention in Detroit are Revs. Mr. Kjelde, Mr. and Mrs. T. Boesen, Mrs. Jens Ellerson, Mrs. Adler Jorgenson, Mrs. P. F. Jorgenson, Mrs. Peter Rasmussen, Mrs. Fred Hanson and Mrs. Louis Herbison.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Christensen are visiting the latter's brother, Herman Schieber, who is teaching at the Troy Business College in Troy, N. Y. On their return trip they will stop at Detroit to visit Wm. Schieber, who is employed for the Ford Motor Co. in that city.

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Mr. Jappe Frederick Smith, to Clara Louise Reuter, which occurred Monday, June 16 at Grafton, Va. They will be at home in Grayling after July 1st. Mr. Smith is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, and is well known to Grayling people where he has made his home for many years. Best wishes from the Avalanche.

Emil Rasmussen motored up from Monroe Saturday to accompany Mrs. Rasmussen and little daughter home who had been visiting relatives here for a couple of weeks. Peter Rasmussen, father of the former also accompanied them home and together with Mrs. Rasmussen, who is attending the Danish-Lutheran church convention in Detroit will spend several weeks guests of their son and family at Monroe.

Charles Primeau, long a resident of Grayling, passed away at Grayling Mercy Hospital this morning after a two weeks illness. Mr. Primeau was 71 years old. Mrs. Margaret Huff of Chicago and Mrs. Susan Boutell of Detroit arrived in Grayling Monday owing to their brother's illness. The remains lie at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex LaGrow, and the funeral will be held tomorrow morning from St. Mary's church at 9:00 o'clock.

STUDENT NURSES BANQUET GRADUATE.

Miss Rosina Catharine Kelling, graduated from the nurses training school of Mercy Hospital Monday and that evening the student nurses of that institution gave a banquet at Shoppington Inn in her honor.

Covers were laid for eight, the table was beautifully centered with a basket of orchid sweet peas and smilax, the color scheme of decoration being carried out in the classic colors of nile green and orchid thru-out.

Many beautiful gifts were received by Miss Kelling from the sisters, nurses and friends. The evening was spent in dancing and later the party adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cassidy, where they were entertained by a number of piano solos by Miss Rose Cassidy and vocal solos by Mrs. Archambault, accompanied by Miss Rose, and songs by the student nurses. A farewell reading was given by Miss Nora Humphrey—"Congratulations to our graduate, Miss Kelling."

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LET THERE BE PEACE

(By Mrs. Henry Harder)

Religion for the nation; religion for the world. If religion controlled legislatures of the world there would be no war. I stood twelve months ago, on a November morning, where 25,000 American boys lay buried. The autumn blasts were blowing, the snowflakes were falling. I stood with my right hand on the cross of the grave of my only boy who died twenty-four hours before the armistice was signed.

I prayed that God would make it impossible for another war to break out and permanent peace be established. If religion governed all legislatures, no more warships would be built, no more death-dealing submarines would lurk under the ocean. The Golden Rule would rule and Christ would say to the world, "Peace on earth and good will to men"—Commissioner Peart.

"God Ruleth"

God's way is right without any endorsement. It needs no committee to lend their influence. It needs no trust to underwrite it.

It does not have to be bonded or financed. It does not wait for any psychological moment, a change in politics or any public announcement. It is not subject to a referendum or recall. It waits on no judge or jury.

"The Lord is in His holy temple. Let all the earth keep silence before Him." (Habakkuk 2:20)

Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach of any people. Proverbs 14:34.

"Oh, that the world would taste and see,

The riches of His grace.

The arms of love that compass me. Would all mankind embrace."

When I read the above words I feel like crying out to every individual, to every Church, to every Nation: Repent, repent, repent, of your sin! And get Jesus into your heart, your soul, and your life. And find out, taste and see how good the Lord is. Find out and know what it means when it says, through an angelic choir "Peace on earth good will to men" or to the individual "Peace to thee."

For this reason: "Let there be Peace" and only for this reason Jesus came into this world. Was born as a baby, lived as a man, as well as a son of God for humanity under much hardship, poverty, sorrow and pain. And what is He gave His life for you and me on the Crucifixion of Calvary, that you and I might be set at liberty. Yea, and greater still is His powerful resurrection! Jesus the Victor from the dark domain, the great conqueror over sin, death, and the devil, Jesus the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world; that we through His blood may be cleansed from every sin; that we through His resurrection may be justified, and through the Holy Ghost, may be sanctified.

If there ever was a time where it was needed to call for humanity to wake it up is now, wake up from your slumber and sin, you individual, see your own sinful life you have lived in up to this moment, awake to the effect that God's wrath is upon you for your unbelief. Therefore repent and confess your sins to Him who died for you and you shall receive forgiveness. Awake you churches that have fallen away from the narrow pathway of life, and you who have never known the real right way repent and turn to your Savior, who is the truth, the way, the life. Repent and be saved. For God's word says: Suddenly will I destroy you. But—if you will repent of your sins and leave your evil ways, then will I suddenly repent of my threatenings; and show mercy unto you, and freely forgive ye. Awake every nation, kindred and tongue, for you have turned away from your God, your Creator; you have sinned; you have shed blood after blood, Oh, repent while it is a day of grace.

For God says in His own word, that he has no delight in the death of a sinner nor in the death of the wicked. But he wants that every man shall repent and confess and come to the knowledge of the truth. To the knowledge of himself being a sinner, as he really is in God's sight and to the knowledge of the truth of God. That he is the God of love, who gave His only begotten son Jesus to the world for a Redeemer and Saviour from sin. That whosoever believeth in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life.

The time is at hand that this old world shall be destroyed by fire, according to the word of God.

And what will your ending be, My reader???

Oh, make haste and save your soul while it is yet today.

FREDERIC M. P. CHURCH.

F. E. Hart, Pastor.

Children's Day exercises will be observed Sunday evening, June 22nd.

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Locals

THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1924.

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Thomas Brown of Lansing is visiting his brother James Brown and family.

Mrs. R. D. Bailey left the latter part of the week for Mt. Pleasant to visit relatives.

N. E. Bripp of Traverse City is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanna for a few days.

Dr. C. R. Keyport was in Detroit the first of the week returning Wednesday morning.

Misses Martha and Edith Bidivia are visiting their sister Mrs. Alfred Keerpen in Detroit.

David R. Evans, freight representative of the Lackawanna and Western railroad was a business caller in Grayling Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Schibly and children returned Tuesday to Lansing after visiting Mrs. Schibly's mother Mrs. Ralph Hanna.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers returned Wednesday afternoon from Chicago, where she had taken her little son Donald to a hospital for treatment.

Try the ice cream sodas at Central Drug store. Malted milk a specialty.

Harry Pond of Bay City visited at his home in Grayling the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Lawrence Schumaker and baby of Grand Rapids is visiting her sister Mrs. George Sorenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vallad and Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Vallad of Standish spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Chalker.

Mrs. John Isenbauer and Mrs. John Matthiesen left last night for Kitchener, Ont., to spend a couple of weeks visiting the former's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Poole of Saginaw went thru Grayling Wednesday enroute to Duluth. Mr. and Mrs. Poole were former residents of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Johnston and children of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Malanfant and daughter Miss Beatrice of Cheboygan visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan Sunday.

Mrs. Burton Collins returned Saturday to her home in Fenton after visiting her sister Mrs. James McDonnell. Miss Loretta McDonnell accompanied her home and will also visit in Bay City, Midland and Detroit prior to attending summer school at Mt. Pleasant.

Ladies don't overlook our special June offer of \$1.80 beautifully engraved cards for \$4.50.

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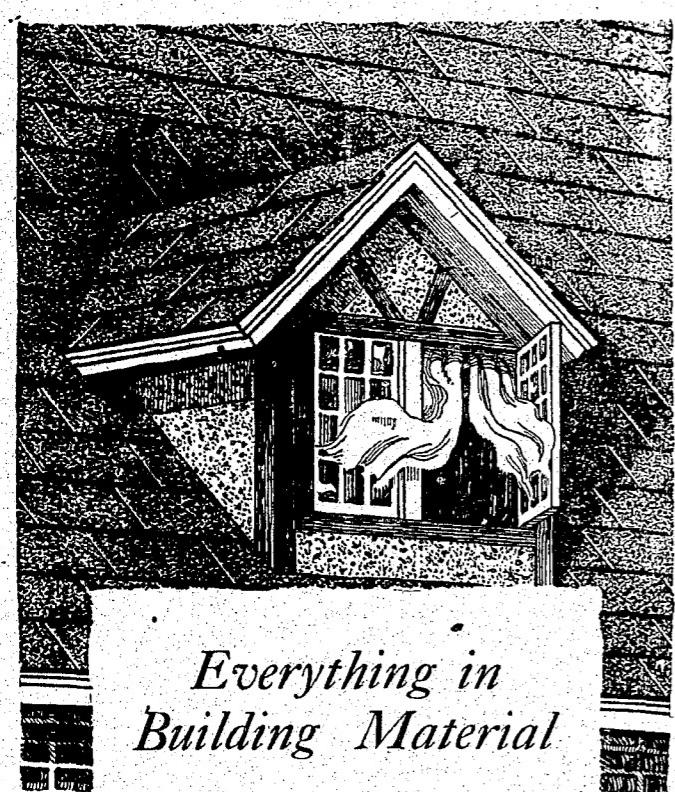
Laurence Taylor and Leona Cooper have been awarded 8th grade diplomas, while Lee Kellogg of this county has been awarded a seventh grade certificate. At the time the list of those receiving diplomas was published in the Avalanche, the standings of the above had not been determined.

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Ed. Gibbons was in Gaylord over Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Hanna, who has been ill for some time, is in a precarious condition at her home.

John Surday of Lovells enjoyed a visit from his brother, Edward Surday of St. Helen Sunday.

E. S. Houghton is in the Upper Peninsula doing some surveying on land owned by Salling Hanson Co.

Mrs. Walter Miller of Flushing was a guest at the home of Adam Gierke and family over Sunday.

There will be a dancing party at the dancing pavilion at Lovells Saturday evening, June 21. Everyone welcome.

Most all of the teachers left for their homes during the latter part of the week, school having closed for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Eva Fenton of Alma visited her children in Grayling last Sunday, her son Arthur accompanying her on her return home.

Walter Doroh is enjoying a short vacation from his duties at the Post office and with his family are visiting relatives in Munising.

Misses Louise Sorenson and Agnes Hansen have joined the force at Sorenson Bros. store, the former taking the place of Miss Lillian Doroh.

Mrs. Charles Waldron took seriously ill Tuesday morning while caring for her mother Mrs. Perry Ostrander, and was removed to Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. A. Herman and granddaughter Helen Elaine McLeod returned home Monday, after spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives and friends in Oscoda.

Mrs. Mary Ewalt has been spending the past ten days visiting friends in Roscommon, the latter part of the week enjoying a motor trip to Shelly Mich., with Roscommon friends.

Mrs. Oscar Hanson and daughters Elle and Margaret and Miss Margrethe Bauman are visiting the former's sister Mrs. Roy Bricker of Cass City, leaving last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Knapp and son Roger accompanied by Mrs. Anthony Trudeau, Sr., motored to Ithaca last Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. James Wingard and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Trudeau.

A daughter weighing ten and one half pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clother of Detroit, at the home of Mrs. Clothier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, Friday, June 13. The little girl has been named Lillian Mae.

Lieut. and Mrs. Russell E. Bates of Mr. Monroe, Va. arrived Tuesday afternoon to visit the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Melvin A. Bates and family for a few days, Lieutenant Bates having been granted a ten days furlough.

Mrs. L. Malanfant, mother of Mrs. Mose Laurent, Mrs. William Divine, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Malanfant and Miss Beatrice Malanfant of Cheboygan spent Sunday visiting at the Mose Laurent home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Houghton and sons enjoyed having as their guests last week, Mrs. Houghton's mother, Mrs. Rose Rosevear of West Branch and Mrs. W. H. Hill of Ann Arbor, who came to attend the graduation exercises of Grayling High School.

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R. M. Roblin spent the week end in Bay City and Detroit.

Dewey Palmer and family and Oscar Deckrow of Bay City were in the city Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Pauline Lietz accompanied her aunt Mrs. Arthur Clement to Oscoda Saturday for a short visit.

Mrs. Calvin Church and little son, and Miss Vera Dutcher of Detroit are guests of Miss Ferne Armstrong.

Shirley, Clinton and Glen McNeven are spending a week with an aunt on her farm nine miles north of Harbor Springs.

Mrs. P. P. Mahoney, Mrs. Margaret Squires and Mrs. Harry Pool attended the annual convention of nurses held in Detroit.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis entertained a few of the school teachers at a dinner party at her cottage at Lake Marquette the Friday evening.

Miss Florence Howell, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. James Bowen for several weeks returned to her home in Detroit Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gothro and daughter Ruth and Miss Alice Walker of East Jordan visited at the home of Herbert Gothro Tuesday.

Save money and buy here. Owing to the lack of room we will sell out all our fishing tackle with 25 per cent discount. Central Drug Store.

Mrs. George Smith spent a few days in Bay City visiting friends.

She returned Monday accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Ross Sparkes and little son of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barenth and grandchildren of Lansing are guests of Mrs. Fritz Kraus and other relatives.

Mr. Barenth was a former U. S. marshal.

Arthur Parker is working as boss carpenter on the job of building a fine new school house near Houghton Heights. The structure will cost about \$20,000.

Mrs. Melvin Stephenson of Detroit spent a few days in Grayling. The guest of Mrs. B. A. Cooley. The Stephensons were former old residents of this place.

An auto load consisting of Mrs. Mary Flagg, Mrs. Herbert Parker, Mrs. Frank Sales, Bessie Parker and Axel Peterson drove to St. Louis Saturday for a week end visit.

I have taken the agency for Good-year raincoats, and am now ready to supply men, women and children with this garment. All goods guaranteed. Prices range from \$5 to \$30. See me if you are interested.

6-19-24 Carl Jenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Small of Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith of Bay City spent the week end at Dan Babbitt's, enjoying very much the new cottage "Wash-Ka-Da". They were very much enthused with the fishing, taking a few nice ones home with them.

Dr. P. D. Miller of Petoskey was an early caller Tuesday morning enroute to Detroit, where his wife is visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Peter McNeven went with Dr. Miller to Detroit, where they expect to remain for several days. Dr. Miller is a brother-in-law to the McNevens.

Ellsworth Lauridsen known to his friends as "Sunny" entertained a number of boy friends Monday afternoon to celebrate his tenth birthday anniversary. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served the boys, after an afternoon of romping and fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon of Lovells attended the Commencement exercises at Olivet College, on June 9th their daughter, Miss Mary, being a member of the class, also at West Branch on June 10th, Miss Ruth graduating from the West Branch high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Campbell of Mt. Pleasant motored to Grayling Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen. Mrs. Hansen returned home with them to Mt. Pleasant, she and Mrs. Campbell proceeding on to Detroit to attend the annual convention of the Danish-Lutheran churches of America.

Colen's pavilion at Portage lake has been nicely improved by the construction of windows full length of each side of the dance hall. Also supporting posts have been covered making the place specially attractive and inviting. With good music and a pleasant and attractive dance hall, the Colen's pavilion should be specially popular.

Sheriff Jorgenson and a number of deputies made a raid at Frederic last Saturday and found two stills, one in operation, the ownership of which they charge to James Pratt. The latter has made a confession acknowledging his guilt, and is bound over to the circuit court for trial. He is out on bonds. Officers say that one of the stills taken is the finest ever found around this region and capable of making seven gallons of extra good moonshine a day.

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A special meeting



1—Mrs. John D. Sherman of Estes Park, Colo., elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Los Angeles convention. 2—Alexandre Millerand, who has resigned as President of France, forced out by the new majority of the Left in parliament not in sympathy with its views. 3—A general view of the Republican national convention in session in the big and impressive Cleveland Municipal Auditorium.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

G. O. P. Convention Names Calvin Coolidge and Charles G. Dawes.

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN
PRESIDENT CALVIN COOLIDGE was nominated for President Thursday by the Republican national convention at Cleveland. Charles G. Dawes of Illinois was nominated for vice president Thursday night.

President Coolidge was nominated on the first ballot by a vote "practically unanimous." Before the first and only roll call was half completed the story was told. The result was: Coolidge, 1,065; LaFollette, 6 from North Dakota and 29 from Wisconsin; 34; Johnson, 10 from South Dakota. After announcement of the vote Thomas Scott, the one lone Coolidge delegate in the Wisconsin delegation, rose and moved to make the nomination unanimous. But amid the mighty chorus of ayes Wisconsin shouted "No."

"With the exception of a very few voices the nomination of Calvin Coolidge is made unanimous," declared Permanent Chairman Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming.

The one unexpected thing in the convention was the long search for a running mate for President Coolidge. Lowden of Illinois would not take it. Neither would Borah of Idaho. A host of prominent Republicans was considered—Hoover, Dawes, Harbold, Curtis of Kansas, Kenyon of Iowa, Hadley of Missouri, Beveridge and Watson of Indiana, among others. None of them came to a nomination.

Finally, in spite of his reiterated declaration that he would not accept, the convention Thursday afternoon nominated Lowden. Hard upon the nomination came another refusal from Lowden. Thereupon the convention took a recess to enable the committee to get in touch with him. He again declined.

Thereupon the convention reconvened and resumed balloting. Dawes and Hoover were voted for and finally the nomination of Dawes was made unanimous.

Charles G. ("Hell and Marla") Dawes is a national figure—also a world-wide figure. He is a college man, a lawyer and banker. He also knows his way around in politics. He has served his country well in several capacities. He was comptroller of the currency, 1897-1902. In the World War he was quickly promoted to brigadier general and achieved fame as the purchasing agent of the A. E. F. He got back into private life in 1919 and in 1921 was appointed director of the federal budget system. There wasn't any budget, but Dawes quickly established one in good working order. It was when he was laying down the financial law and gospel to executive departments heads that he got his nickname. As the head of the Dawes commission on German reparations he made the world sit up and take notice.

CALVIN COOLIDGE stands for election largely on two issues: his Republican regularity and his personal character. Events in the convention make that clear and emphatic. Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, a G. O. P. stalwart of the old school, sounded the party regularity note in his keynote address Tuesday. The LaFollette platform was rejected Wednesday with an emphasis and enthusiasm that gave convincing evidence of the temper of the convention. The Coolidge platform was another proof. There came the address of Chairman Mondell repeating the party regularity-responsibility note of Burton and sounding a new note of the personal worth of the standard-bearer of the party and the country's confidence in his character. Said Mondell, who twice served his party as floor leader of the house:

"Never before in our history has the need and the necessity of dependable party majorities and of definite party responsibility been so clearly demonstrated as in the very recent past."

Shipping Board Will Build Two New Liners

New York.—Two new passenger vessels, with a tonnage of 32,000 each, will be built during the next year by the United States shipping board. E. C. Plummer, vice chairman of the board, announced.

The vessels will cost approximately \$15,000,000 and will measure 350 feet in length, with beams of 80 feet.

The Leviathan, Mr. Plummer said,

"Confidence in Coolidge is the most important and outstanding fact in the political situation today, and this confidence is as fine a compliment to the American people as it is to the President."

It was President Marion Leroy Burton of the University of Michigan who said the final word on the personal worth of Coolidge in his nominating speech. "Tall and scholarly and eloquent Doctor Burton said he came not as one engaged in political activity, but as a personal friend to tell the convention why the President should succeed himself. Then followed a masterly analysis of a striking and many-sided character and a tribute such as only a loving and understanding friend could pay. He pronounced his friend "in the most thrilling sense of the term an American, who has been thinking America, believing America and living America." And he nominated "the virile man—the stanch American—the real human being—Calvin Coolidge."

The outstanding plank in the Coolidge platform, so far as public interest is concerned, is probably the world court plank. Here is its exact text:

"The Republican party reaffirms its stand for agreement among the nations to prevent war and preserve peace. As an important step in this direction we endorse the permanent court of international justice and favor the adherence of the United States to this tribunal, as recommended by President Coolidge. This government has definitely refused membership in the League of Nations and to assume any obligations under the covenant of the league. On this we stand."

MRS. JOHN D. SHERMAN of Estes Park, Colo., was elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs Wednesday at the Los Angeles convention, succeeding Mrs. Thomas G. Winter of Minneapolis. The General Federation, with headquarters in Washington, has a nationwide membership of 2,500,000 which is non-partisan and non-sectarian. It is easily the most influential body of women in the United States. Its activities are manifold. Its political power is shown by the fact that it was a large factor in the passage at the last session of congress of the child labor Constitutional amendment resolution the McCormick-Hawes act providing for wildlife reservations along the Upper Mississippi and the forestry act. Mrs. Sherman has long been a leader in the Federation and has nationwide acquaintance.

FIVE thousand doctors descended upon Chicago early in the week for the convention of the American Medical association and gave the public much scientific information without fees. Gland transplantation, declared the surgeon, was no good; all the glands of all the animals in Noah's Ark cannot increase the span of man's life or bring youth to old age. Insulin, asserted the doctor, does not remove the necessity for dieting, but it does bring back lost weight and strength and allows the patient to resume a more normal life. Warning was sounded against the powder puff, the hair dye, and the treacle lotion as disseminators of skin troubles rather than aids to beauty. The cosmetics which American women "wear to the extent of over \$200,000,000 contain mercury, arsenic and even paraffin-diamin."

IT WAS a lively week in French politics. After Premier Poilane resigned and Edward Herriot, leader of the radicals, declined to form a new ministry, Frederic Fransois-Marsal became premier with a "cabinet of a day." The new premier read President Millerand's message to parliament, but his explanations and pledges apparently fell on deaf ears. So Millerand sent in his resignation, the presidential flag over the Elysee was hauled down and France was without a president. Millerand's letter of resignation was short, but he issued a communiqué to the people in which he bitterly assaulted the left bloc—the new parliamentary majority—for forcing him out and declared himself guiltless of violating the constitution. He expects to be elected deputy from Alvernia et Moselle.

IS THERE to be a renewal of the struggle between Turkey and western Europe which appeared to be ended by the expulsion of the Greeks from Smyrna? Even veteran European diplomats are excited over the possibilities suggested by an occurrence or the island of Rhodes. Two thousand more Italian troops were landed on this important island a few miles off the coast of Asia Minor, where Italy's zone of influence centers. A jubilee followed the landing at which the Italian governor declared:

"Italy will never sacrifice the duties which she undertook at the time of the occupation. Italy will make every effort to take advantage of the natural resources of the country which has been given into its keeping in Asia Minor."

Diplomats say that this declaration if the Italian colonial official had the Mussolini government behind him, is practically a declaration of war

was made by Meyer Lissner, commissioner of the United States shipping board.

He said that although "the record for safety on American flagships is second to that of no merchant marine in the world," there is a tendency to stress mishaps to American vessels. He charged that hardly any notice is taken by American papers of accidents on foreign ships "which would be fully exploited if they happened to vessels operated by the shipping board."

The safe of the Farmers' Elevator at Croswell was blown open by two men and \$200 in cash stolen. The safe was banked with bags of corn to deaden the noise of the explosion. The safe of the Farmers' Elevator at Minden City was blown open April 8 in a similar manner.

Miss Eileen St. Croix, principal of the Bancroft High school, suffered serious injuries when the automobile in which she was riding collided with another.

An appeal for more sympathetic treatment by American newspapers of events related to American shipping

Michigan Happenings

Manistee's gas rate was automatically reduced from \$1.75 to \$1.60 at a special meeting of the city commission, when Mayor John H. Rademaker ordered the city attorney and city manager to put into effect a resolution adopted by the commission, January 22, 1924, declaring that the gas rate should be reduced within 90 days if the Consumers Power company did not take action toward the construction of a new city gas plant. This plant was to have been completed more than two years ago, under an agreement with the city.

The five-year-old son of William Barnett pulled the trigger of a rifle which was lying on a bed in a lumber camp building at Strongs. In another camp building two houses away, the owner of the gun, George Sheppard, 54 years old, of Newberry, was struck by the bullet and instantly killed, the shot having gone through the two buildings. Sheppard was a visitor at the camp and had laid his gun on the bed in one building while he was inspecting the camp. His body was brought to the Soo by Sheriff Arza Swart.

Mayor David R. Cuthbertson of Flint was recalled in a special election by a majority of 2,237 votes. There were 14,281 votes cast, with 6,304 favoring the recall and 5,977 voting to retain the mayor. In a statement made immediately after the final returns of the election were communicated to him, Mayor Cuthbertson declared he would use his right to become a candidate for reelection at the election which now is necessary.

Permit to abandon the Kalamazoo, Lake Shore & Chicago railway, known as the Fruit Belt line, has been granted by the Interstate commerce commission. The company has operated the old route of the Michigan Central railroad between this city and Lawton. Operation of motor buses cut so deeply into the passenger business of the road that passenger trains were abandoned about a year ago.

Three thousand plus trees have been planted in parks and along the country road in Iron county by the parks commission of Iron Mountain. Fifteen hundred were planted in the fair ground park at Iron River. This is the result of the offer of the state to sell pine trees and seedlings at a low cost to those interested in reforestation. A large number were planted successfully last season.

Sale of a controlling interest in 47,000 acres of timber land in Hodgen's and Whitman township, Algoma district, Ontario, containing 250,000 estimated feet, principally birch and maple, to J. E. Bennett, of Free Soil, and Dirk Schurer, of Gaylord, has been announced at Ludington. The new owners will erect mill at Northland, 20 miles north of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

The Adrian street railways, one of the oldest street railway lines in the country is to suspend operation on or before July 1, it was announced after a conference between representatives of the company and the city commission. The line began operation in 1889 and is said to be the oldest electrically operated one in Michigan and the fifth oldest in the United States.

John Powers, 65, surface foreman for the Oliver Iron Mining company at Iron Mountain, is dead from injuries suffered in an automobile accident. Powers' automobile was demolished by a Northwestern railroad passenger train, entering the city. The accident occurred at a crossing leading to the Chaple mine. The victim had been surface foreman for 40 years.

A "syndicate" of Iron Mountain sportsmen will experiment in crossing breeds of rabbits this summer in an effort to develop a giant wild rabbit. Blooded Belgian hares have been purchased for the experiment. The offspring will be set loose in the woods of the county as soon as they reach a size that will insure ability to shift for themselves.

Members of the Michigan State Hotelmen's association will be guests in Petoskey, July 4, 5 and 6, at a regional meeting. Important questions on the program are affiliation with the American Hotel association and a plan for consolidation of the advertising of Michigan in general into one organization backed by state aid.

George W. Baxter, 60 years old, publisher of the Saginaw Press, a weekly newspaper, and previously publisher of a semi-weekly in Bayonne City, and daily newspapers in Kendallville, Ind., and Dowagiac, Mich., died recently. He installed many of the early linotype machines in Michigan newspaper offices.

The school census, just completed, gives Lansing 14,880 children of school age, a gain of 577 over last year.

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Surrounded by a forest fire which was sweeping swiftly through the Yellow Dog river valley, Frank Krieg of Birch, state deputy fire warden, and 12 men were trapped near Antlers and forced to run into the river for protection from the flames.

Announcement that the Ford Motor company will build a second sawmill plant at Iron Mountain has resulted in a big influx of unemployed despite unofficial statements that operations would be curtailed there.

Virgil Bordner, 15, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bordner, living three miles west of Metamora, Ohio, is in a critical condition, the result of one leg being torn off at the knee when the boy became caught in the belt of a gasoline engine which he was helping to operate while grinding feed.

Elizabeth Sils Hopper, widow of

the Saginaw Press, a woman of

90 years, died Saturday morning.

Millions enjoy such a drink in

Postum...A drink made of whole

wheat and bran, skillfully roasted, with

a little sweetening—nothing more.

In 10 years Detroit has added 51 square miles to its territory, and the assessed valuation of the city, or the property value, has jumped \$1,897,045,010. The city's budget has jumped from \$10,267,999 in 1914 to \$51,476,676.73 in 1924 all of which is raised by taxation. This year the city added to the assessed valuation \$349,000,000, which brings the property value of Detroit up to \$2,455,989,000. The new tax rate has not been definitely determined, but will be with a few cents of \$21 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. Last year the rate was \$22.46.

Activity in building construction was maintained in May according to the monthly report of Frank Burton, commissioner of the Detroit department of buildings and safety engineering, which shows 4,811 permits issued for work of a total estimated cost of \$16,790,708. This is an increase of 379 permits and of \$3,814,947 in expenditure over May, 1923, when 4,432 permits were taken out for work amounting to \$12,976,761. The May figures fall short, however, of the April, 1924 showing of 4,924 permits for work to cost \$20,128,862.

John W. Reid, commissioner of public works, who recently made a tour of eastern cities in an effort to find a proper solution of Detroit's rubbish and garbage problems, has assigned an engineer to prepare a plan for a more efficient operation of this department. The various methods employed throughout the country will be considered in the report, together with the possibilities of using the street railway department during the night to haul garbage and rubbish, instead of the present motor truck system.

The allotment of \$2,226,824 by the federal government to Michigan for road building for 1914 is an increase of more than a quarter of a million dollars over the 1923 allotment, which was a few dollars less than \$2,000,000. It is only exceeded by the allotment of 1921, which was \$2,249,000. The 1923 allotment was \$1,500,000. This money will be used principally on the construction of concrete roads on the cross state lines of M-16 and M-17 and the trunk lines running up state.

Ingham county pioneers and their friends will hold their fifty-second annual meeting at Mason, shortly after the middle of June, it has been announced by the committee in charge. Because of the rapidly dwindling ranks of the pioneers, proposed changes in the constitution of the organization to remove some of the membership restrictions and allow new members to join and thus assure the continuance of the work of the organization will be discussed.

Nearly 5,000 boys and girls from public and parochial schools of the city were guests of the Detroit Community Fund, recently, at its fifth annual picnic on Belle Isle. As in former years, the teachers in selecting the children, gave preference to those who had never visited Isle. Last year over 500 such children were found, and for them the trip was a succession of delights.

Reed Pierce and Paul Cook, of Ypsilanti, escaped probable death by jumping from their automobile as it plunged over a 60-foot embankment and fell bottom up in the Huron River. Pierce, who was driving, lost control of the car when a front spoke broke. The car has been raised from the river.

The Ford Motor Company has completed its ten million model "A" Ford car. In celebration of having attained a 10,000,000 production record the company announces that Ford Car No. 10,000,000 will make a coast-to-coast trip. The last 1,000,000 cars produced in 132 working days.

The date of the general primary, September 9, has been decided upon by the common council of Detroit as the date for the holding of the primary to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Frank E. Doremus as mayor. The election will take place at the general election in October.

The House of David, confident of its ability to withstand the latest storm breaking against its wall is ready with popcorn wagons, miniature railroad, vegetarian restaurant ball teams and band for what they believe will be the most prosperous summer season in history.

Gifts aggregating \$10,000 equipment and cash to an Iron Mountain hospital, have been announced by a group of doctors, whose services have been contracted for by the Ford Motor company. The hospital is a public-owned institution.

Surrounded by a forest fire which was sweeping swiftly through the Yellow Dog river valley, Frank Krieg of Birch, state deputy fire warden, and 12 men were trapped near Antlers and forced to run into the river for protection from the flames.

Announcement that the Ford Motor company will build a second sawmill plant at Iron Mountain has resulted in a big influx of unemployed despite unofficial statements that operations would be curtailed there.

Virgil Bordner, 15, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bordner, living three miles west of Metamora, Ohio, is in a critical condition, the result of one leg being torn off at the knee when the boy became caught in the belt of a gasoline engine which he was helping to operate while grinding feed.

Elizabeth Sils Hopper, widow of

the Saginaw Press, a woman of

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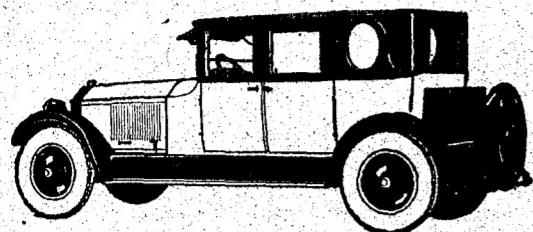
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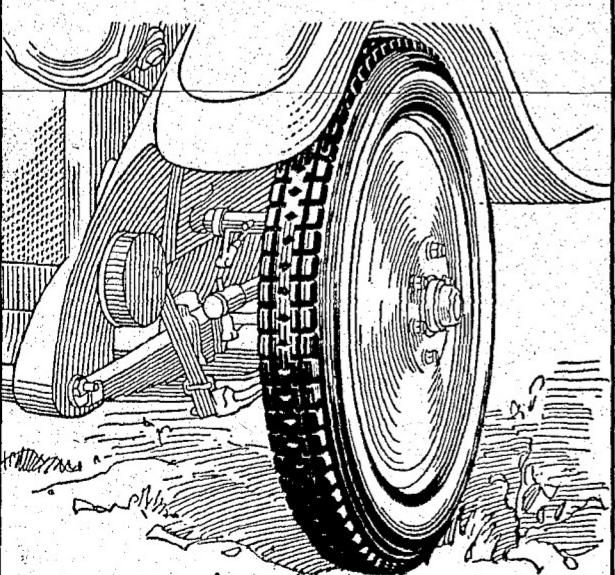
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BIG GAMBLING HOUSE WRECKED BY TROOPERS

NEW CHESTERFIELD INN, NOTED GAMING RESORT, RAIDED BY STATE POLICE

Place Had Reputation As Hangout for Bandits and Criminals.

Public gambling in Michigan was dealt a hard blow in the raiding and wrecking of the New Chesterfield Inn, in Macomb county, just over the line from Wayne county. It was reputed to be the fourth largest gambling place in the United States and had been notorious as the resort of bank bandits, holdup men, bootleggers, and other criminals, as well as others who had come by money easily and who were there sought excitement at the green-covered tables.

Playing at the place was reputed to have gone to the extent of more than \$100,000 a night and crowds as large as 1,100 people had been known to congregate there.

After the men of the Michigan Department of Public Safety had raided the place on the night of May 23, it was a wreck. The gambling tables were smashed, the windows broken, the gambling paraphernalia confiscated and the operators were in the hands of the law. Its patrons had been scattered and given a fright from which they may not soon recover.

Elaborately Guarded.

George Weinbrenner, known as "St. Louis Dutch," was the owner of the place. He had long been known as a gambler by the Detroit police and had often been raided. Finally he built the New Chesterfield Inn out Gratiot avenue and opened the biggest game ever known in Michigan. Two busses were operated to Detroit and free transportation given to those desiring to risk their money. Lunch was also served free to gamblers.

The resort was elaborately guarded. Men were stationed outside at intervals along the private road leading to the place. The ground floor was occupied by a garage and entrance to the gaming rooms was through a passage requiring the passing of several guarded doors. Above the main hall, where the bigger games were played, there ran a gallery in which armed men were stationed to protect the place against holdup men.

Every precaution was taken to prevent surprise by officers of the law. When the sheriff of Macomb county and his deputies, who were known by sight to the lookouts, visited the place, they found it quiet and no gambling in progress. Immediately upon their departure the games started.

State Police Act.

Considerable time was necessary for the detectives of the Michigan State Police division of the Department of Public Safety to secure evidence upon which warrants could be obtained. The detectives had to become acquainted with frequenters of the place, visit it in the company of these habitues and be vouches for so that they could see the gambling actually going on. When this had been done, warrants were taken out and preparations made for the raid.

Commissioner Harry H. Jackson of the Department of Public Safety gave instructions to Captain I. H. Marmon to carry out the plans. State Police were assembled from East Lansing, South Rockwood, St. Clair, Ecorse, Hamtramck, Wayne and other posts. In command of these details were Captain C. J. Scavaria, Lieutenants H. Douglas Potter, E. S. Masters, Lawrence Lyons and George Karkett. Altogether about 40. State Police were in the party. Accompanying them were Detroit and Hamtramck police officers who were alert for criminals who might be wanted in those cities.

The force assembled in Detroit and was carried rapidly to the scene in a fleet of automobiles. No one except Captain Marmon knew the destination of the raiding party.

Axes Are Employed.

Knowing that a number of gunmen were employed to protect the place, the State Police swept rapidly past the outside lookout stations and got into the lower floor of the building before any intimation had been given of their approach. One door was closed to them and they smashed that in order to reach the main gambling room. Play had been suspended and the 300 patrons stood about when the officers entered.

However, Captain Marmon has sent several troopers, in disguise, into the place in advance of the raid and they were there and could testify that gambling had been in progress.

Weinbrenner and a number of his employees were placed under arrest. Guns, revolvers and ammunition were seized and gambling apparatus was confiscated. One safe was opened and another was carried away to be opened elsewhere under direction of a judge. The latter was the safe supposed to contain the greater part of the funds of the place. As a final touch, the State Police proceeded to wreck the place, destroying the tables and everything else which had been used in the gambling except such portion of the equipment as was required as evidence.

A Queer Creature.

One of the queerest creatures imaginable is the midwife toad. The female lays her eggs in long streamers, which the male collects and wraps around his legs. He carries them into this way until they hatch into tadpoles.

Nail Drivers Are Experts.

Jud Tunkins says the temptation to talk is considerable. It's always easier to lecture on house building than it is to drive a nail.—Washington Evening Star.

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Mrs. Plainsmith—The Bong Tong? My laundryman belongs to the Li Lung Tong. Perhaps you know him.

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Waiter—Well, if he can't swim, stir him drown! He's a nuisance, I'll say.



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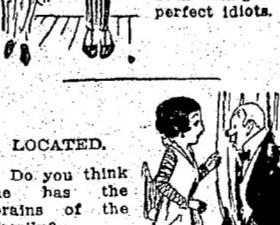


ON THE FLY
"So you hired a new cook yesterday. What's her name?"

"Her name? I don't know. She didn't stay long enough for us to learn that."

AMATORY
Don't you think they are two souls with but a single thought?

Well, I shouldn't wonder. They are both acting like perfect idiots.



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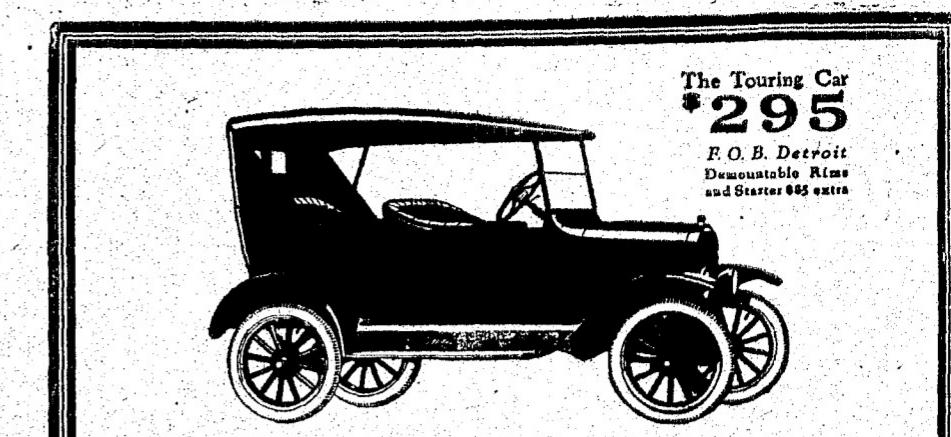
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GEORGE SORENSEN

Judge of Probate.

PROBATE NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Victoria McCullough, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the sixth day of June A.D. 1924, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling in said county, on or before the sixth day of October A.D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 2nd day of June A.D. 1924.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

6-5-3.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage dated June 8, 1914, executed by Ed. Feldhauser and his wife, Delia Feldhauser, and Robert Feldhauser, a single man of Maple Forest township, Crawford County, Michigan, to the Frederic Bank of Paul R. Dinsmore, of Frederic, Michigan, which mortgage was recorded in the Register of Deed's office for Crawford County, in libel H. of mortgages, on page 205, and the sum of \$537.91 is due on said mortgage for principal and interest on the date hereof, to which is added an attorney fee of \$25.00 as provided by law, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now claimed to be due on said mortgage or any part thereof, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises hereinabove described by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, which sale will be made at public auction at the front door of the court house in the village of Grayling, county of Crawford and state of Michigan (that being the place where the circuit court for the county of Crawford is held) on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1924, at one o'clock in the afternoon, which premises are described as follows:

All that piece or parcel of land situated and being in the township of Maple Forest, county of Crawford and state of Michigan, to wit: The west one-half (W $\frac{1}{2}$) of the northeast quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) section twenty-eight (28) north range three (3) west, containing eighty (80) acres or more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

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6-29-3.

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